


# YSIPP METRICS

OHA & University of Oregon Suicide Prevention Lab

# WHERE WE STARTED

- Current YSIPP (2021 – 2025) continues to address existing initiatives, while addressing new focus areas
- UO team is assisting OHA in the measurement of these initiatives... *is the YSIPP doing what it is setting out to do?*
- Began by identifying *what* we wanted to measure – this led to the development of a shared vocabulary and a refined approach to measurement



## MEASUREMENT DOMAINS & CONSTRUCTS

- We defined our measurement domains as **Process Metrics, Outcome Metrics, and Impact Metrics**
  - By identifying and monitoring the metrics, we can assess overall effectiveness of the YSIPP and make data-based decisions
- Started by measuring the measurement constructs in the Big River based on pre-training, post-training, and following up assessments
- Reviewed current surveys related to QPR, ASIST, MHFA, YouthSave, Sources, and Connect to identify the outcome and process measurement constructs and metrics

## THE SURVEYS

- Created and utilized a “Metrics Inventory” form:

### **Big River Survey:**

#### **Outcome Metrics**

**1. Skill acquisition:** The increase or change in knowledge and competencies of participants.

- Survey Question:

- Using this form, all Big River surveys were assessed for the presence of our target measurement constructs (e.g., skill acquisition)
- Member checking occurred for each metrics inventory form for consensus

## NEXT STEPS

- Continue to identify the metrics and benchmarks for the current YSIPP initiatives
- Inform on the web-based repository development for Big River data collection and reporting
- Collaborate with the Big River partners on the evaluation activities and measurement of process, outcome, and impact metrics for the next biennium
- Collaborate with county and coalition partners on local metrics and reporting
- Solicit ongoing feedback from the Data and Evaluation Committee